



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Roy Derrick Achilles

Serial No.: 10/568,788

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For: CUTTING TOOL INSERT AND
DRILL BIT SO EQUIPPED (as amended)

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Examiner: R. Fuller

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AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are filed in response to the Examiner's remarks in the Final Office Action mailed July 20, 2009, the three-month shortened statutory period for response to which expired on October 20, 2009. This response is submitted on or before four months from the mailing date of the Final Office Action with a Request for Continued Examination, a petition for a one month extension of time, and the required fees.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.